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In full of claim under Policy 666558.

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Secretary.

Mr. Curtis was insured with us against accident and sickness. During the last week in December he was operated on for appendicitis, and was laid up for over one month. On the 11th of February his claim was adjusted at \$214.28, and has since been paid.

Surgeons' and doctors' fees, and loss of time, have no terrors for the man who carries one of our policies. Get particulars at once.

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**60c. Value - - 35c. per yd.**  
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Owing to prevailing conditions it is advisable to select your new silk gowns at an early date. We are now showing extraordinary money saving values in Striped and Plain "Taffetas", Paillettes and Silk Caeprens. Ranging in price from

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## Stylish Coats

\$12.00 to \$20.00

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Will pay the following prices delivered in his yards at Lacombe this week:

Choice Fat Steers, 1,200 lbs. and up.....5c.  
Extra Choice Fat Heifers.....5c.  
Choice Fat Cows.....4 1/2c. to 5c.  
Medium to good Fat Cows and Heifers, 3c. to 4 1/2c.  
Fat Bulls.....2 1/2c. to 3 1/2c.  
Best Hides.....8c.  
Choice Lambs.....7c.

HOGS—Hog prices are so uncertain that we cannot quote a steady price. Those wishing to sell, please us for prices.

Further information regarding prices can be had by phoning 20 from 7.30 a.m. till 9 p.m.  
Night Phone 40, or 101.

The Western Globe has now settled down to business in its new home on Nanton Street. We made the move in quicker time than we thought possible, therefore the paper is out on time this week as usual.

Mrs. Tett will not receive again this season.

Mrs. Garland will not receive again this season.

Mrs. Denike will not receive again this season.

Mrs. Graham will not receive this month, nor again this season.

Mrs. Thorne will not receive on Wednesday, 8th, or again this season.

Mrs. Collier will receive on Wednesday, 8th inst., and not again this season.

Don't forget the Red Cross Concert at Blackfalds on Friday evening.

United Prayer Service in the Methodist Church tonight at 8 o'clock.

Harold Barnett, of the 56th Battalion, visited his parents here this week for the last time before leaving for the front.

Mrs. J. N. Graham is wanting a number of small calves. Price according to quality. Phone 607. (M. 1-3c).

J. B. Hudson, late with Grenville & Co., Calgary, has accepted a position in the dry goods department of F. E. McLeod.

The Red Cross sewers and knitters will meet at the home of Mrs. Dr. Simpson on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Will our correspondents please try and have their news reach this office not later than Monday evening?

The Rex management wishes to notify the public that they will spare no effort to secure "The Night Stage" for a future date.

If any readers have not yet heard of the new "President Wilson Tango," it should at once be made known to them. One step

forward, two steps back; hesitate, then sidestep.

It is gross impertinence for any man who has not offered his services to the Empire to in any way criticize our soldiers, or those who consider it their duty to provide comforts for them. Remember, our soldiers are MEN. We all should respect them.

Don't forget the Red Cross Concert at Blackfalds on Friday evening.

Libor Petrick is clearing out his stock of Boots and Shoes, Mitts and Gloves, etc., at wholesale prices. The great Clearing Sale is now on, and if you want to save money you should call and see his up-to-date stock. Opposite Tittsworth's Furniture Store. (M. 1-3p)

Don't forget the Red Cross Concert at Blackfalds on Friday evening.

The great serial, "The Diamond From the Sky," is drawing good houses at the Rex every Tuesday night, and everyone seems more than pleased with the instalments shown thus far. The third instalment will be shown next Tuesday evening.

The Welsh Quartette packed the Comet Theatre on Thursday evening last, and the entertainment was greatly enjoyed by most of those present. The recital of their experiences at the sinking of the Lusitania was most thrilling, and many wondered how young men, appearing physically fit for service, after seeing the heartrending sights caused by German frightfulness, could be content to put in their time giving entertainments when men are so urgently needed for the defence of the Empire. Probably they are of the "Safety First" order.

When you have offered your life to your country it is time enough to criticize those who have. In the meantime "Silence is golden."

It will come as a disappointment to many of our citizens to learn that "On the Night Stage" will not be shown to-morrow evening, the Rex management receiving word today from Calgary that for some reason or other

this feature has been ordered East. "Bred in the Bone" will be the offering for tomorrow evening, notice of which will be found in another column.

Premier Scott, of Saskatchewan, left for the Southern States last week, his medical adviser having recommended a warmer climate. His developments continue with reference to his government, and Regina will be warm enough for him soon. A warm climate is coming to Walter Scott, all right—it not now, eventually.

John Lockerby had the honor of having one of his Hampshire lambs selected by Jas. McCaig for exhibition at the agricultural schools of the Province and at the shows. Mr. Lockerby is a some very fine high-bred sheep, and is going into this business more extensively.

The Red Cross Society acknowledges, with thanks, the donation of \$5.00 from Mrs. Grant Curry, and \$2.00 from Mr. F. McEtridg. The Society has this week sent to Calgary headquarters \$75.00.

A special meeting of the Methodist Ladies Aid Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Missner on Friday, March 3rd, at 3.30 p.m. All members are asked to make a special effort to be present.

W. F. Puffer, M.P.P., of Lacombe, addressed a large meeting in the Bingley school-house on Saturday evening. The first part of the meeting was taken up in the discussion of matters of local interest, after which Mr. Puffer delivered a splendid patriotic address. Quite a number of those present signified their willingness to give every possible assistance to the movement. The chair was occupied by J. P. Neilson—Mountain House Guide.

O. Boode has a carload of barbed wire, bought before the advance in price, which he is selling very reasonably. Call in and get his price. He also has a snap in nails.

No surprise should be felt by the general public over the exposures made in the Saskatchewan Legislature—exposures that have already established the theft of fifty thousand dollars, have caused the arrest of half a dozen men, and the disappearance of two others. (The Scott Government has been known to be a thoroughly crooked outfit ever since the day it assumed office, more than ten years ago. Indeed, the Scott Government came into existence through practicing treachery in its most contemptible form. Since then it has retained office through employing every form of corruption that could be invented. What more natural, then, than that, sooner or later, it should be caught with the goods and held up to public scorn?)

"It is most ridiculous to think of providing the local platoon with sox," we heard a gentleman remark. "At the outside there are not more than three of the soldiers who cannot buy their own." Although the gentleman who made the above remark has not yet offered his services to the country, he supposes himself to be posted thoroughly on what the soldier needs and



what he does not need. Granted that there are three men in the local platoon who need assistance is there a man so miserable and mean-spirited who would go up to the barracks and ask each man individually if he was in need of a pair of sox? Is it not much more manly to send the sox to the platoon and let those that need them have them without humiliation? The government makes no distinction between rich and poor in the separation allowances—the wife of the millionaire gets just the same amount of money as does the wife of the day laborer. All men who have offered their lives in the defence of their country are equal in the eyes of the government, and in the eyes of the great majority of the citizens of Lacombe. No thanks to you for providing sox or other necessities for the soldiers—it is up to you to do it. They are offering their lives in defence of your home, and have shown themselves to be better men than you who are willing to be dubbed "shirkers."

## JAS. SHORROCK'S SALE

On account of bad weather, Jas. Shorrock's Sale, one mile west and 4 1/2 miles north of Bentley, has been postponed until Friday, March 10th. See bills. C. F. Dameron, Auctioneer.

## MACKENZIE-GLOVER CO.

These famous entertainers will appear in the Comet Theatre on March 7th. This company of artists are praised by the press and public, and honored by the Scotchmen of Vancouver by presentation and banquet and speech. Don't miss it; remember the date.

## GRACE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, March 5th  
Rev. E. T. Scraggs's subjects for the day will be as follows:  
11 a.m.—"Nobody, Somebody, and Everybody"  
7 p.m.—"Let the Dead Bury the Dead."

## ANGELICAN CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, March 5  
Lacombe—Holy Communion, 11 a.m. Service and sermon, 7 p.m. Sunday School, 12.30 p.m. There will be a Church of England service in Milton school-house on Sunday at 11.30 a.m. Arrangements have been made for a Mission in Lacombe from March 8th to 14th, inclusive. Details will be announced on hand bills.

## "BRED IN THE BONE"

Those of our citizens who have been attending the Thursday evening offerings at the Rex—the Mutual Masterpieces—know that they are in the forefront of the picture world, and the offering tomorrow evening, promises to be no exception to the rule. Miss Dorothy Gish, that charming and winsome star of film-dom, will be seen in the title role, that of a stage-struck girl. The exchange at Calgary notifies the Rex management that "You will find this a splendid feature." Tomorrow (Thursday) evening at the Rex.

## MARY PICKFORD AS "CINDERELLA" AT THE REX

The offering for Saturday evening at the Rex will be "Cinderella," and Little Mary Pickford will be seen in the title role. This fact in itself is enough to ensure a bumper house on Saturday evening. Miss Pickford will be assisted by her husband, Owen Moore. The cast is as follows: Cinderella, Mary Pickford; Prince Charming, Owen Moore; Stepsisters, Georgia Wilson and Lucille Carney; Stepmother, Isabel Vernon; King, W. N. Cone. Don't fail to see Mary Pickford in the beautiful fairy tale of "Cinderella" at the Rex on Saturday evening next. It's a Famous Players production.

## Bentley News

Mrs. John Bradford Taylor and family wish to convey their sincere thanks to their many friends who visited Mr. Taylor, and to those whose kind help so greatly lessened the anxiety of his illness.

## 151st is Rapidly Filling Its Ranks

Every day sees new men enlisting in the local platoon of the 151st Battalion, and a good class of men are responding to the call. The men are training hard, and will, in a very short time, compare favorably with any other regiments in the 6th. More men are needed, and every young man, who has the love of his country at heart, should enlist now. Following is a list of those Lacombe boys who have shown that they had nerve enough to answer the call:

W. Barker G. Hutchison  
J. F. Jones O. Beebe  
Geo. Mason W. Birtman  
F. Brown W. Mason  
C. Grant A. M. Dick  
H. Ritz G. C. Calkins  
J. Ritz T. Cheeseman  
C. Short J. Peterson  
E. French J. L. Nelson  
E. Halpin F. Simpson  
P. Welch O. M. Canadad  
G. White T. Hutchison  
T. G. Beatty B. Johnston  
R. A. Flack W. A. Gilbert  
M. Cole G. Nicholson  
E. M. Jones F. Whitfield  
F. H. Tyrrell

## ALL OFFICES OPEN TO WOMEN

Edmonton, Feb. 28th.—The Equal Suffrage Statutory Law Amendment Act which was tabling in the legislature yesterday provides that there is not a single office in the province to which women may not aspire. The bill consists of two clauses and a preamble, the first clause reciting the title, the second giving the purport of the measure that "Notwithstanding any provisions contained therein women shall be upon an absolute equality with and have the same rights and privileges and be subject to the same penalties and disabilities as men in the following acts, ordinances and charters: The Alberta Election Act, the Controverted Elections Act, the Town Act, the Village Act, the Rural Municipality Act, the Controverted Municipal Elections Act, the Direct Legislation Act, the Municipal Co-operative Hall Insurance Act, an Act Respecting the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, the Local Improvement Act, the Agricultural Societies Ordinance, the School Ordinance, the Lethbridge charter, and ordinance to incorporate the city of Calgary, the Edmonton charter, the Medicine Hat charter, an ordinance to incorporate the town of Edmonton, an ordinance to incorporate the town of Red Deer, an act to incorporate the village of Gull Lake, an act to incorporate the city of Wetaskiwin, an act to incorporate the village of Wabamun Beach, an act relating to assessment in the Village of Loughheed, an act respecting the assessment and collection of taxes in the town of Stettler, and an act to incorporate the village of Lake View.

## FARMERS! REAP WHAT YOU SOW

SOW PRELUDE WHEAT Two Weeks Earlier than Marquis. Reap—  
1. A Sure Crop every year.  
2. Always No. 1 Grade.  
3. "Milting quality equal to Red Fife," says C. E. Saunders, Dominion Cerealist, and originator of this Wheat.

Official Score Card for Seed Wheat shows 99 points in 100; weight 65 1/2 lbs. per measured bu. I won First Prize at Alberta Winter Fair at Calgary, December 14-17, 1915.

For Sample and Price, Address, C. H. PLEASANTS, (M. 1-2p) Bluff Centre, Alta.

## STOLEN—\$10.00 REWARD

Stolen from the S.E. Quarter 6-41-2, w. 5th, between the 7th and 13th February, one red and white spotted cow, 4 years old, poll head, small, close-quartered, round barrel, prominent eyes, dock tail, in fair condition. The above reward will be paid for recovery of this cow. (M. 1-3c)

## FOR SALE

200 bushels of Seed Wheat—Huron—for sale, cleaned. Apply to J. F. VanBuskirk, Phone R. 1714, Lacombe. (M. 1-4c)

## STOLEN RINGS

Will the party who was seen leaving my barn with the rings and straps taken from Morris' Pony Harness, return them to my Garage or to the barn. If not, I will surely put him behind the bars. W. E. Ties.

## AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE

Will sell for \$850.00 cash or exchange for cattle, Cadillac Automobile, 5 passengers, electric lights, self-starter, fully equipped, excellent condition. 715 HERALD BUILDING, (M. 1-1c) Calgary, Alta.

## NEW OPTICAL PARLORS

We have our new Optical Parlor fitted up and are ready again to fit glasses for every eye defect where glasses are of any use.

## A Separate Room for Eye Testing

If you have headaches and cannot find the cause, come in and let us test your eyes. Nine times out of ten they are the cause of the trouble.

## PAUL HOTSON

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN. ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES. Hotson Block Nanton Street. Opposite the Moving Picture Theatre.

## W. F. Puffer &amp; Son

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Highest Prices Paid for Hogs, Cattle and Sheep. It will pay you to get our prices before selling.

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## Pioneer Meat Market

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## WE HANDLE

Highest quality fresh and cured Meats, Fish and Poultry.

Fresh Oysters always on hand

Farmers, get our prices before selling your poultry.

Phone 15. 3 Deliveries Daily

## Farm Loans

The Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation is offering ample funds for farm loans. No advance in rates. Your business handled quickly, cheaply and quietly.

Also a small amount of private funds for farm loans on very favorable terms.

JOHN MCKENTY

Day Block Lacombe

## Saturday Specials at the Lacombe Bakery

4-lb. Tin McCormick's Jam 55c

## The Lacombe Bakery A. GILMOUR, Prop.

## Blackfalds News

On Friday evening, March 3rd, there will be a concert in the Blackfalds Public Hall in aid of the local Branch of the Red Cross Society. The principal item is a humorous play called "A Perplexing Situation." There will be other items furnished from the school children and young people of the district. Those in charge are striving to give a first-class entertainment. The cause, as well as the entertainment, is worthy of the support of all. Another of Blackfalds citizens has enlisted, in the person of Mr. T. Beatty. The Blackfalds school boys are getting in trim for a strenuous base ball season.

**Special Sale of Furniture**  
NOTICE—We are discontinuing our furniture line entirely and are offering the following low prices in order to get it cleared out without further delay. Look over the list and if there is any thing you can use come in and see us

Superior Range (like new) \$30. Raymond Sewing Machine, \$7. Rope-Making Machines, each, \$1.25. New Moffat Range, \$35.00. New Nelson Range, \$45.00. New Nelson Range, \$20.00. Beaver Sewing Machine, \$35. Beaver Cabinet Sewing Machine, \$40.00. Weber Piano, slightly used, \$240.00. Terms to suit. Empire Typewriter, \$25.00. Pastime Washing Machine, \$14. Gasolene Irons, \$5.00. Shot-Gun, \$2.50. Shot-Gun, \$6.00. Rayo Lamp, \$2.00. Oil Heaters, \$4.50. Steel Hot Water Tanks, \$2.00. Cary Sale (fire-proof), \$70.00. Grain Buyers' Grain Tester,	\$10.00. Stock and Poultry Food; usual price, \$1.00. Now 25c. New Wood Heaters, \$3.00. Davenport, \$5.00. Metal Hat Racks, \$1.00. Melotte Cream Separator, \$60.00. Melotte Cream Separator, \$75.00. Premier Cream Separator, \$85.00. Easy terms on all Separators. Wilton Mat, \$2.50. New Thomas Organ (Term.), \$125.00. Iron Beds, each, \$2.00. Mattresses, each, \$2.50. Mattresses, each, \$3.85. Mattresses, each, \$4.50. Springs, \$1.75.	Springs, \$2.50. Kitchen Cabinets, \$22.50. Winnipeg Couch, \$12.00. Winnipeg Couch, \$10.00. Arm Chairs, \$1.50. Easy Chairs, \$3.00. Dresser, \$6.00. Dresser, \$7.00. Dresser, \$9.00. Oak Chiffonier, cost \$60, now \$18.00. Mission Oak Hall Seat, \$7.00. Music Cabinet, \$5.00. Oak Table, with drawers, \$5.00. Oak Cabinet, \$5.00. Upholstered Couch, \$5.00. Kitchen Tables, each, \$2.00. Centre Tables, each, \$2.00. Rocking Chairs, each, \$2.50. Solid Walnut Sideboard, \$4.00.
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TERMS—All sums up to \$20 cash; over that amount, a credit of 9 months will be given on approved bankable notes bearing 8 interest. 5 per cent discount for all sums over \$20.00

## HEMBURY &amp; Co.

The Specialty Store. Located in Winslow Bldg. across from McLeod's Store



## "Your Country Needs You"

Fight it out in your heart, my lad,  
It's time for the final wrench;  
Home has its arms about your neck,  
But conscience points to the trench.  
Your brothers fought thro' that self-same fight  
Ere they rallied to face the Hun;  
And where would your home be now, my lad,  
If Conscience had not won?

It isn't an easy choice to make,  
But it can be made, and must;  
Shirk and you bring the finest thing  
In your soul, and out, to the dust.  
Your brothers wrestled with God, and cried  
That God should leave them alone;  
And where would your soul seek heaven today  
Had God been overthrown?

The eyes of our women search your face,  
Our children look as you pass;  
How does it feel to meet those eyes,  
And your own eyes in the glass?  
Hard, hard for you now to meet those eyes  
With their challenge—"How can you wait?"  
But where will you hide from your brother's eyes  
If you should come too late?

Win your first fight, the fight with self,  
Be swift with that gallant blow;  
Then on to your second fight, good lad,  
And crush God's other foe.

ENLIST TODAY! BE BRITISH

## OPENING OF THE LEGISLATURE

Edmonton, Feb. 24.—Lieut. Governor Brett made his debut as far as the legislature has today as his majesty's representative, this equality should in the opening of a legislature, and Alberta be fixed by law, and that underwent the ordeal with be for the future there should be no coming dignity. His honor was distinction of sexes in our proclamation, the legislature vice. A small number of other public and private bills will be introduced at this session, which I from the throne was brief, and recommend to your serious consideration. The opening function did not exceed fifteen minutes. Despite the formalities necessary in order to pass the guard at the door there was a large attendance, including quite a number of out-of-town folk. There was no apparent fear of the much dreaded German bomb.

Among the visitors were Col. Walker and Major Hogbin of Calgary. After his honor had returned, Premier Sifton moved the usual preliminary routine motions, and the house adjourned until Friday. The debate on the speech will commence Monday.

Speech From the Throne.  
Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:  
It gives me pleasure to welcome you to the fourth session of the third legislature of the province of Alberta.

It is to me a source of gratification that this, my first opportunity of bidding you welcome at the opening of a session, is at a time when we have cause for great rejoicing over the bountiful harvest which has been the result of the labors of our people, under Divine guidance. Never before in the history of this or any other country have the labors of farmers been repaid by such great results, and probably there never could have been a time when they were more required in the interests of the people and of better advantage to the empire.

The question of the great war in which the empire, of which we are a part, is now engaged, is one that occupies to a large extent the attention of all who are in any way interested in public matters. The time that has already elapsed since the starting of the war, the enormous numbers of peoples engaged in the same, the way in which hostilities have spread in ever-widening circles, bring forcibly to our attention the fact of this being unique in the history of wars, and should cause us to meditate seriously on the best way in which we can assist in bringing the war to a successful conclusion.

Since your last session, the people of Alberta have, under the provisions of the direct legislation act, passed by a large majority a bill for the prohibition of the liquor traffic within the boundaries of Alberta. This bill will be presented to you for your consideration.

For many years there has been a growing feeling that the equality of the sexes should be recognized, and that the women, who, perhaps in a special degree in a new country, have aided in the development, put up with the hardships, and assisted in the prosperity, should have the right to take an equal part in the government of the country. My government has considered this

most cattle men and breeders from all over Canada. Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture for Alberta, was appointed chairman. Hon. Nelson Monteith, former minister of agriculture for Ontario, president; Hon. Peter Talbot, director, C. R. McKeown, chief whip of the Ontario Conservatives, treasurer, and R. H. McElroy, M.L.A., for Carleton, Ont., secretary.

The movement has the endorsement of leading men throughout the country, such as Lieutenant-Governor Brett, of Alberta, Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways and canals; Premier Sifton of Alberta; Patrick Burns, and George Lane, the well-known Alberta farmers.

Arrangements have been made with the Dominion and provincial members to form cattle export associations and sufficient areas have been secured in Alberta to provide for the starting of these associations with cows. Each local association will be supplied with free transportation for all breeding stock shipped from Eastern Canada to the Vermilion Valley district, and the Dominion government will supply each association with pure bred sires free of cost.

A grant of \$500 a year will be made to each association, for three years, and arrangements have been made with the Alberta government to co-operate with each association through its live stock commissioner, provincial veterinarian and school of agriculture.

### FOR SALE

I have for sale a red Polled Bull Calf—a good one—8 months old. Apply Chas. U. Hookett, Box 30, Morningview. (F. 9-1p)

### MAN WANTED

Man wanted on farm. Year's job to right party. Apply H. J. Bailey, R.R. 2, Lacombe.

### BOAR FOR SALE

A two-year-old registered Boar for sale on reasonable terms. A fine animal. Apply to undersigned. J. A. WINDSOR, Bashaw, Alberta.

### ROOSTERS FOR SALE

Pure White Leghorns Roosters for sale. Apply to John Moore, R.R. No. 2, Lacombe.

### SEED OATS FOR SALE

Two thousand bushels Banner Oats for sale. Free from all other grains or weeds. Apply Young Bros., R. Phone 113, Lacombe. (Jan. 9-1p)

### PIANO FOR SALE

A Mason-Rich (classic) Piano for sale. Apply to R. H. Inglis, Lacombe. This instrument is as good as new.

### BOAR FOR SALE

Registered Berkshire Boar for sale or trade. H. A. Kennedy, Phone R. 502, Lacombe.

### YEARLING COLT STRAYED

Light Bay Gelding, Clyde breeding; year-old; no visible brand; 1 white hind leg; white star in face. Owner apply to Walter Siemers, 5 1/2 miles north of Lacombe. (F. 16-3p)

### SEED OATS AND BARLEY FOR SALE

I have a quantity of Seed Oats—1st prize at the Lacombe Seed Fair—Abundance; also Barley—Second Prize at Lacombe Seed Fair. Clean and free from all weed and other grain seeds. Apply H. C. Jones, Lacombe. Phone

### FARM WANTED TO RENT

I want a quarter or half section of land, improved, to rent. Will pay in crop payments. Apply W. T. Partridge, Lacombe

### FARM WORK WANTED

Married man, secure permanent position on farm; thoroughly experienced. Address, A. J. Miller, Lacombe. (F. 16-3p)

### MAID WANTED

Maid wanted by March 1st. Apply to Mrs. G. H. Hutton, Lacombe. (F. 23-3p)

### FOR SALE

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A local branch of the St. John's Ambulance Association has just been formed in Lacombe and at the Society is now making desperate onslaughts on this district the officers feel that a short explanation of its work and methods is in order.

The purpose of the Society is to provide the soldiers at the front with smaller comforts and necessities which otherwise do not reach them, or are only sent to individuals by their friends. Socks, soap, tobacco, cigarettes, and all minor articles which are found to be needed will be forwarded to them through the Provincial Council of the Association at Edmonton, of which Hon. G. H. V. Bulvey is Honorary President; Dr. Tora, President, and Prof. Harlow, of Alberta University, Honorary Secretary.

The local officials wish to make it very clear that in its objects and line of work it in no way conflicts with the Red Cross, a Society which will continue to receive from them the heartiest sympathy and support in its splendid work, a work, however, which does not include the work done by this Association. We therefore ask support in the form of contributions of either goods, cash, or work, from all who are able and willing to join. No membership fee is required, but the Association will, from time to time, endeavor to raise money by such means as teas, etc. The officers of the local Branch are, as under:

Convener, Mrs. David Calder.  
Buyer—Mrs. Andrew Urquhart.  
Treasurer, Mrs. John McNab.  
Secretary, Miss McKenty.  
And an advisory board, which may be added to from time to time, consisting of the following ladies—Mrs. W. J. Simpson, Mrs. D. L. Garland, Mrs. A. M. Macdonald, Mrs. Hume, Mrs. Kelleys, Mrs. C. W. Crooks, Mrs. Peter McDonald, Mrs. D. Cameron, Mrs. J. G. Nickerson, Mrs. R. Ramsay, Mrs. Milliken, Mrs. Winters.

As the bitter struggle of the war will probably be fought out on the western front within the next few months, and may be even now commencing, the utmost effort of every organization of this kind is now required, and we therefore, hope for such support as will make the work of this Branch prompt and efficient. Meetings of the Board will be held on the first Tuesday of each month, at 8 p.m., the first one on March 7th, at the residence of Mrs. McKenty. Successing Rice Sheppard, and Secretary R. E. Woodbridge, met the premier at 4 o'clock, in the capital building. With the premier were government members, C. W. Crooks, Duncan McShall, C. R. Mitchell, and J. K. Boyd.

### GERMANY IS DESPERATE

The German forces have been in the western front during the last few days, and reporting their gains in a way out of proportion to their importance. Beside their ever-present desire to break through the allied line, there are special reasons why they should both want to win somewhere just now and advertise the win. There can be no doubt that Berlin's plan was to engineer a winter campaign against Egypt, and to extend the fighting line as far toward India as could be done, by utilizing the Turkish forces and by stirring up the tribes both in northern Africa and in the interior of Asia. But the winter is now drawing to a close and the plan has not materialized in any results of importance. Moreover, the drive of the Russians into Armenia has rendered them helpless of fulfillment. Turkey is now fighting to free its own territory from invasion, and expeditions against Egypt and India are impossible. Doubtless the news of this disaster to the Turkish ally has had a depressing effect upon public opinion. It may well be coming home to the German people that further conquest is an unpromising outlook, and that their prospects are simply that of desperate and indefinite fighting to hold the ground they have already occupied. That is not a state of public feeling in which the raising of war loans is an easy task, and Germany must raise more loans or give up. The onslaught on the western front may therefore be designed quite as much to rouse the flagging enthusiasm of the German people as undertaken with any real hope of breaking the Allied line that has withstood attack for a year and a half.

U. F. A. EXECUTIVE  
SEE PREMIER TO  
OBTAIN REFORMS  
Edmonton, Feb. 25.—The executive of the United Farmers of Alberta met Premier Sifton and his cabinet at Edmonton on Tuesday, and presented the latter with a programme of the legislative recommendations of the farmers of the province, as got out by the conf. annual convention in Calgary. The United Farmers' executive, which consisted of President H. H. Wood, Vice-presidents W. D. Trego, S. S. Dunlop, and Mrs. McKenty, Rice Sheppard, and Secretary R. E. Woodbridge, met the premier at 4 o'clock, in the capital building. With the premier were government members, C. W. Crooks, Duncan McShall, C. R. Mitchell, and J. K. Boyd.

In the course of the discussion which took place, Premier Sifton was frank in a statement that he did not favor the abolition of the election deposit. The matter of bonding of commission men who handle the products of the farmers, was referred to the attorney-general and the minister of agriculture. The question of financial aid to public libraries in small towns, and rural municipalities will be referred to the minister of education. With regard to the suggested legislative enactment with regard to 'hail insurance,' it is probable that the farmers' executive saw the difficulty in forcing legislation on this subject from talks with C. R. Mitchell, as it was afterward said that an attempt would be made to have the 'compensation' grant this recommendation voluntarily. It was pointed out that it would be difficult to force a hail insurance company to guarantee a risk they did not want to take for the money of farmers. Other recommendations are referred to the legal department, or to provincial ministers before they will be presented to the parliamentary body.

### GERMANS PLOT RUIN OF J. D. SKINNER

In the course of an article showing where the judge was wrong in not believing him, in his recent criminal libel case, the editor of the Rocky Mountain House "Guide" says: "Then we have a strong pro-German element in this district. Such are not friendly disposed to the Guide or its editor, and they are leaving no stone unturned to get in control of our various institutions. Shall we give place to such men? It does not seem advisable. This takes the question entirely away from sectional quarrels or party politics, and makes it one of national import." "Darn those Germans, anyway. It appears none of us are safe from their scheming."

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HOW VON BERNSTORFF  
PLANNED TO PUT  
PRESIDENT IN JACK POT

Providence, R.I., Feb. 28.—The Providence Journal says today:—  
The Providence Journal is in receipt of information direct from German embassy sources which proves the existence of a plot to drag the United States into humiliation and disrepute from which there can be no escape in connection with the attempt that is now being made to force the demand that Americans refrain from crossing the Atlantic on passenger steamers carrying armament.

The plot, furthermore, it carried to a successful conclusion, would enable the German admiralty to sink any unarmed merchant ship leaving an American port and to destroy its entire crew and passengers without any possibility of the United States government making a protest.

"The statement made voluntarily to the Associated Press by Herr von Jagow in Berlin two weeks ago that the United States government had made new and additional demands on Germany in connection with the Lusitania matter, was in the hands of Count von Bernstorff before it was given out in Berlin. This Von Jagow statement was part of the plot to embarrass the administration and discredit it. The new demand made through certain members of congress, whose fidelity to German wishes has become a matter of daily comment in Washington, was originated in the German embassy and sprang from the fertile brain of Dr. Heinrich Albert two weeks ago. Dr. Albert, with Count von Bernstorff, sent word to every propagandist sheet in the country to begin the publication of statements, practically threatening a condition of war with Germany unless the United States government agreed to the latest Lusitania offer, and warning American citizens from travelling on passenger ships in the Atlantic.

"Within the next few days a number of the largest shipments of ammunition that have yet been made are scheduled to leave this country for Great Britain and France. Every effort is to be made by Germany to sink these ships, utterly regardless of whether they carry American or other passengers or whether they are armed or not. The United States agrees to issue a warning to citizens to keep off the vessels that carry arms for defence, such a warning, carrying with it the presumption that the United States favors Germany's view that the vessels are warships, Count von Bernstorff has arranged in advance a scheme which will put every Allied merchantman at the mercy of German submarines, whether armed or not. This is to be accomplished by the simple method of declaring, after such wholesale murder takes place, that while the particular vessel was not armed when she left an American port, armament had been placed on her on a high sea after her departure.

"The plot was originated and discussed in Bernstorff's suite of rooms in a New York hotel two weeks ago, and immediately thereafter messages were sent to subsidized German papers throughout the country in order to show that the German contention that these vessels would be armed at sea had already been made public as a warning of what might happen.

"One of the most notorious of these subsidized sheets, the Faithful, sent out an advance notice of an editorial on this subject over a week ago, containing the following language:—  
"We desire to remove every possibility of friction, and if we desire to safeguard the lives of our citizens, there is only one peaceful course open to us—the United States must declare without delay that citizens traveling on board armed ships of belligerents do so at their own risk. This should apply not only to ships leaving American ports, but to all ships on the seven seas, no matter what port they hail. If we permit American citizens to board vessels, which, while leaving American harbors without armament, are armed at sea, we shall only increase the possibility of disaster."

"The last sentence of this warning was originated at the conference referred to. At this conference the plan was formulated in detail, and it was there decided that if the German embassy could not prove by false affidavits or otherwise that certain ships were armed when leaving American ports, it could present

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affidavits, after the destruction of such vessels in proof that they had received armament at sea, such affidavits coming in as large a flood as desired from any officer and or any submarine attacking vessels.

### 15-YEAR-OLD GIRL IS ACCUSED OF KILLING CHILD

Red Deer, Feb. 29.—As a result of an inquest here today, Ernestine Lavelle, a 15-year-old girl, whose home is in Wittenburg, 60 miles north-west of here, will face a charge of murder of her infant child. The girl has been attending the convent and on Saturday gave birth to the child. She managed to conceal the fact until it was later found with a shoe lace around its neck, dead, in a locker in the girl's room.

As a result of a conversation with the management of the convent, her uncle, Lionel Lavelle, was arrested yesterday at his home in Wittenburg, and will be charged with being the father. The R.N.W.M.P. made the 120-mile trip to and from Wittenburg between 6 p.m. Monday and 7 a.m. on Tuesday.

The jury exonerated the convent from all blame, as both the parents of the girl and the management were unaware of her condition.

### ALLIES HAVE BIG RESERVE FORCE FOR EMERGENCY

New York, Feb. 29.—The entire allies have massed from 500,000 to 1,000,000 fresh troops at Bordeaux, to be ready for emergencies, according to passenger reports who arrived here today from France aboard the steamship Hochambau. None of these soldiers, it was asserted, have been near the battle line in any of the areas of the war. They are said to comprise a part of Kitchener's new army and drafts from the French colonies.

### MANY MEN AND GUNS CAPTURED BY RUSSIANS

Petrograd, via London, Feb. 28.—The capture of 235 officers, 19,753 men, and 323 guns in the operations about Erzerum was announced in the official statement from the Russian war office Saturday. The pursuit of the Turkish army continues and the Russians have occupied the village of Aschakla, 50 miles west of Erzerum, on the road to Trabzon.

### A DRY ONTARIO IS AIM OF PROVINCIAL GOVT.

Toronto, Feb. 28.—The feature of the session of the legislature

will be the action of the government of Ontario on prohibition. A dry Ontario, with the principle of the Manitoba liquor act obtaining, is the aim of liquor legislation which the government will submit this session. The intimation was made unofficially in the government organs, and was confirmed at the parliament building today, although as yet no minister will take responsibility for the announcement.

A majority vote for the bill by the electors would wipe out every bar, shop and club license in the province, and in their stead the government, through the attorney-general, would have the right to grant licenses to drug companies and drug stores for the sale of liquor. Such sale could only be made in certain quantities and for medicinal and mechanical purposes.

The proposed legislation must first go to the Conservative caucus. The cabinet ministers are united in the resolve that it must not only pass caucus, but also pass the legislature. Careful inquiry in official circles produced information which indicates strongly that the hours of life for the liquor trade in this province, as at present constituted, are numbered.

The Ontario legislation, if the present intention is observed in the final drafting of the bill, will put prohibition in force "for the duration of the war." Any amendments to the bill will be for the purpose of making the regulations pertaining to the sale of liquor much more strict than they are in Manitoba.

### U. S. HOLDS MOTIVE TO BE A CARDINAL POINT

Washington, Feb. 28.—At the state department tonight it was said that, while the United States stepped manfully for the right of a merchant ship to carry guns for defence, it was not now, and never had been, contending that Americans could travel with immunity on ships having orders to act offensively. It was indicated that the Secretary Lansing was not prepared at this time to accept as conclusive the allegations of Germany, in the note presented today, in regard to the confidential instructions claimed to have been given to British sea captains, that if the claims were sustained, the fact would have an important bearing upon the future attitude of this government. It is felt in high official quarters here that the question of motive is the cardinal consideration in determining the difference between defensive and offensive armament.

### PREMIER BOWEN CAPITULATES TO PROHIBITIONISTS

Vancouver, Feb. 29.—Doubtless impressed by the very strong demonstration of the opposition to the government given in Vancouver last Saturday (in the by-election), Premier Bowen came to terms today with the prohibitionists. The result is that at the end of the year this province will almost be certain to join the dry column.

The premier agreed to the prohibitionists' proposal to frame an act during the coming session of the legislature, and to a submit a referendum based, probably

on the Manitoba Act, to the electors at the election, which must take place before June 1, when the present legislature automatically goes out of business. A majority of the electors will be sufficient to carry the measure which is to become law on January 1st next.

### THE COMING TREATY OF PEACE

When the war comes to an end a treaty of peace will be signed and sealed and delivered as between the various belligerents.

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At least as many original copies as there are signatory powers will be signed and sealed, while several certified copies will be used for printing from and for reference.

Peace treaties are not written straight across the page or pages, like ordinary documents. They are written in parallel columns, one in English, the next in French, the next in Italian, German, Russian, and so on, according to the number of languages spoken by the peoples of the

signatory powers. The text of each of these columns is an exact translation of the text of all the other columns, and the utmost pains is taken in the selection of words that will convey identical shades of meaning. The monarchs of the signatory powers don't affix their signatures or seals to the peace treaties entered into by them. This important formality is carried out by specially accredited peace commissioners, each of whom uses his own personal private seal, the impression being in red wax.

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20 years' experience buying, selling and trading live stock qualifies me as a valuator of your stock.

**ECLIPSE PUMP WORKS**  
General Repair Shop  
Nanton St., Lacombe.  
General repairs in Guns, Cycles, Pumps, Windmills, Engines, Water and Steam Fitting. Don't send away for your engine this year, but come and see me. Look at the prices—14 h.p. Pump Engine and Jack, \$48.50; 5 h.p. Engine and Jack, \$34.50; 7 h.p. Engine, \$150.00; 3-roll Crusher, \$65.00; 8-plate Grinder, \$30.00; 8-wheel and 30-tower Pumping Mill, \$67.00. All these prices f.o.b. Calgary. Call and see me for prices.  
F. V. PARSONS, Prop.

**For Sale**  
A splendid mixed farming ranch of 500 acres; \$21.00 per acre. Terms—10 per cent cash; interest only at 5 per cent. Balance in 9 equal annual payments bearing interest at 5 per cent.

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**Lacombe Second-Hand Store**  
I have now a large stock of good furniture. An inspection will convince you that prices are below value.  
Beveled Glass Hardwood Dressers and Stands—\$18.00 outfits for \$10.00.  
Heavy Beds, Springs and Mattresses—\$17.00 outfits for \$10.00.  
Hardwood Extension Tables, at \$8.00.  
New Sewing Machines at Half Price.  
Two Kitchen Cabinets—\$1.00 and \$6.00.  
One \$65.00 Kootenay McCarty Range, with water connections, \$40.00.  
Tea and small Cook Stoves, from \$5.00 up.  
Fifty Hardwood Kitchen Chairs at 50c. each.  
Five Kitchen Tables, \$2.00 and up.  
One Winnipeg Couch, \$8.00.  
Heaters—No. 13, \$8.00. No. 16, \$10.00. No. 17, \$12.00.  
Photographs and Records, at Half Price.  
Hotel Dishes of all kinds, Toilet Sets, etc.  
Comforts, Bedspreads, and Pillows.  
Pails, Boilers, and Tubs.  
Kitchen Utensils.  
Hand Saws, Bucksaws, and Cross-Cuts.  
Lodging Chains.  
Tank Heaters.  
Trunks and Suit Cases.  
Men's Underwear, Fur Coats, and Overcoats.  
I buy Furs.  
O. BOODE  
NANTON ST., Lacombe.  
Next Door to Elliott's Harness Shop.

**For Sale**  
HAY, by the ton or half stack; 30 lots for sale; \$10.00 cash—balance in one or two years. One brick house, 8 rooms, painted roof, furnace, bath-room, large cistern; two thousand, one hundred and sixty acres of land. Will sell all or part at one-third cash, balance on reasonable time. One warehouse—large room for machinery or furniture; 2 business lots for sale. Enquire.  
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**Scientific Tactidermist**  
All work done on the New Modelling Process—Lasting, Moth Proof, and Sanitary.  
White Furs of all kinds Cleaned at Small Cost.  
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## HEALTH BRAN

Made by the Robin Hood Co., Ltd.

Health Bran is used in addition with Flour for making bread, biscuits, muffins, pancakes. Use two-thirds flour and one-third, or slightly more than the usual quantity of baking powder. Wheat Bran is gaining in popular favor as a substitute for laxative drugs and cathartics, and is being widely prescribed by physicians.

2lb. Sack 15c.



## THE WEATHER MAN MAY DO HIS WORST, BUT SPRING IS HERE

### Ducks and Galetas

New Ducks and Galetas are here, in plain colors of Butcher Blue, Navy, Tan, Brown, Pink/Sky, and White, and also in Fancy Stripes, a particularly good range; all guaranteed fast colors.

17c. PER YARD

### SHIRTINGS

Shirtings that will give wear and service, the best qualities, that will pay for the making up, in a good range of patterns, mostly the medium and dark colors. Per yard,

20c.

### Men's Work Shirts

only 75c. and 90c.

There were never better value Work Shirts placed before you than this lot we have just received and marked at the above modest prices. They come in Black and White, Stripe Drill and Blue Chambray, and they are large and made right.

### Tooke's Fine Shirts

75c. to \$1.50

This well-known line of Fine Shirts are recommended to you in the name they bear. We offer you a wide choice of styles and patterns.

### Men's Buckskin Shirts

\$1.50

It is worth the money, this Shirt of Navy Buckskin; made large, with full yoke, and has every good quality of Shirt for working men.

### DRESS UP THE BOYS

Spring calls for a new Suit, and we invite the thrifty shopper to inspect our values. We think them particularly good this Spring. They are the best we have seen in the past year's critical examination of samples, and we have priced them closely for you.

Everywhere throughout the store your Spring needs are in full display. And with everyone keyed up to expect higher prices many surprises in values await you. Our forehandedness in buying early protects us and our customers against the shortage of goods and the higher prices except in a few cases.

**LADIES COTTON HOSE.**—We offer you the same excellent value at 15c. per pair, the same line exactly, and the best 15c. value the market could afford at its time of lowest prices. Penman's 25c. line is again presented to you at the old price. The pure wool Cashmere Hose are a little higher, we must admit, but Children's "Little Darling" and "Little Daisy" Stockings, while they last, are yours at the old prices.

Do not overlook the fact that the wholesale prices of today are like the retail prices of yesterday, and that retail stocks cannot be renewed to sell at present values.

Our DRESS GOODS shelves are full of the new lines for Spring, and it is only occasionally the shrewd buyer will detect a moderate advance in the price, while our showing of Gingham and Prints, in values and assortments, were never better for your choosing.

It is a problem to continue furnishing some of your needs in small wares at the old prices, or, indeed, at any price, but our necessities will, no doubt, adjust themselves to the conditions of the time. Our list of small wares is designed to interest you.

In the MEN'S DEPARTMENT our patrons will hardly discover an advanced price on their Spring requirements. Men's Sox, Underwear, Shirts, Gloves, and Overalls, are the same excellent values that many years' acquaintance with manufacturers and wholesalers enables us to select to advantage. Boys' and Men's Clothing are specially good values this Spring.

**SHEETINGS, COTTONS, CAMBRICS, TOWELS, and TOWEL LINGS,** are forward at an ample range of prices. You are not yet asked to pay more for them, but early buying is thrifty buying among these and many other lines.

### SMALL WARES

HAIR BRUSHES, from.....25c.	HAIR NETS, 2 for.....5c.
COMBS, from.....15c.	HAIR NETS, per doz.....25c.
BARRETTEES, from.....15c.	TOOTH BRUSHES, from.....15c.
NAIL BRUSHES, from.....5c.	BROOCHES, from.....25c.
TALCUM POWDER, 1-lb., 25c.	BEAUTY PINS, from.....5c.
EMB. COTTONS, Skein.....25c.	CROCHET COTTONS, from 75c.
EMB. SILKS, Skein.....25c.	PURSES, from.....25c.
KID CURLERS, from.....5c.	CARD CASES, from.....50c.
PLAYING CARDS, from.....15c.	WHISKS, from.....25c.
CURLING IRONS, from.....10c.	EMB. HOOPS, from.....15c.
BUTTON BOOKS, from.....10c.	EMB. RINGS, doz.....5c.
BIBS, each, from.....15c.	BOX HAIRPINS, from.....25c.
PEARL BUTTONS, from.....5c.	MENDING YARNS, from.....25c.

## Your Economy List

APPLES, per box.....\$2.00	SAUSAGES, per lb.....15c.
ORANGES, per doz.....40c.	KIPPERS, per pair.....5c.
LEMONS, per doz.....35c.	HERRINGS, per keg.....\$1.50
HONEY, per comb.....30c.	PUDDINGS, per lb.....15c.
HONEY, in glass.....30c.	TOMATO CATSUP, bottle, 30c.
CELERY, per lb.....15c.	TOMATO CATSUP, tin.....12c.
BANANAS, per doz.....40c.	H. P. SAUCE, per bottle, 25c.
GINGER, preserved.....30c.	CELERY SALT, .....15c.

### Whitewear Specials

We have still some very special Bargains of the Manufacturer's Set of Samples of Whitewear. Our prices average less than the wholesale cost. Dame Fashion never tires of designing new things, and this lot, in which there is only one of a kind, represents many of her cleverest ideas for the coming Spring.

LINGERIE WAISTS PRINCESS SLIPS  
NIGHTGOWNS COMBINATIONS  
MIDDY WAISTS CORSET COVERS  
CHILDREN'S DRESSES BOYS' WASH SUITS

THEY ARE GREAT BARGAINS

### New Sailor Dresses

These New Sailor Dresses come in an All-Wool Serge material, Blue and Black, and are trimmed with red Silk Braid; all Smart Styles, in sizes 16 to 20.

\$7.75

### CORSETS

Parisian, Bias Filled, D & A

These well-known names are your assurance that the New Spring and Summer Models are correct; in a range of styles and values.

65c. to \$3.50

### Chippewa Work Shoes

ENDICOTT and JOHNSON'S

FINE SHOES AND WORK SHOES

We have never shown a better lot of leathers and lasts than we invite you to inspect this season. They are mainly the above makes, for which we had to cross the border, but we are confident that the result, in satisfaction to our customers, will set aside other considerations. These Shoes will stand the early Spring conditions on the farm, so hard on the best of leathers. And it is not only the leathers in these Shoes that will recommend them to you; the lasts and styles will appeal to you at once. They look good, Shoes, and you will say they are good Shoes after you wear them. We have them for every diversity of style and foot. Per pair,

\$3.50 to \$4.75

### St. John's Ambulance Association

#### Will Supply the Local Platoon

The above association, although just formed, has got to work in earnest, and the first business undertaken is the providing of sox and other necessities for the local platoon of the 161st. These ladies, most of whom have been doing good work for the cause since the war broke out, realize that it would be unworthy of Lacombe to see her boys without any little comforts that can be provided.

**REPORT OF "ECLIPSE" RED CROSS AUXILIARY, NO. 540**  
From Oct. 1st to Feb. 1st

Finished Work—48 surgical shirts, 30 bed jackets, 21 service shirts, 30 many-tailed bandages, 102 triangular bandages, 103 T bandages, 24 suits pyjamas, 42 personal property bags, 504 handkerchiefs, 18 pairs of socks. Two pairs of socks, donated by Mrs. James Sharp; 1 pair of socks, donated by Miss M. M. Tullock.

Active and Associate members fees.....\$13.00  
Receipts from Valentine tea at Mrs. Rainforth's, 4.25  
Donations—  
Mrs. Wm. Morton, Sr., 2.00  
Eclipse S. S., 4.20  
Mr. Wm. Morton, Sr., 34.00

Total.....\$74.45  
MRS. A. C. JOHNSTONE, Overseer

### Tees News

The dance on Friday evening in the Tees hall was largely attended, and a good time was enjoyed by those present.

P. A. Moore was a Lacombe visitor on Saturday.

Mr. Dittie, of Alton, loaded a car of hogs Thursday last.

Mrs. K. A. Moore was a Clive visitor on Saturday.

Everyone is enjoying the beautiful weather.

Mrs. E. F. Heath returned from Alton on Monday, where she spent several weeks visiting her mother.

Miss Margaret Harris was a Lacombe visitor Saturday.

B. E. Lawson and H. B. Moore

were Clive visitors between trains Monday.

Geo. Hanes was a Lacombe visitor on Monday.

Don't forget the Red Cross Concert at Blackfalds on Friday evening.

**PARIS CONFIDENT OF OUTCOME OF BATTLE AT VERDUN**

Paris, Feb. 27, 5 p.m.—Paris is extraordinarily calm in the presence of the great battle now in progress around Verdun. There are no indications of tension or nervousness, but only sober confidence in the result, provided the desire, among those who know the defensive strength of the lines seems to be that the attacks should continue, for they urge the losses on the German side would be in proportion to the effort. There were some persons around the newspaper boards yesterday and no crowds at the ministry of war or other public offices.

The whole front, from the North Sea to Switzerland, is on the alert, and leave of absence, has been recalled. The French maximum effort has not yet been made.

The total French losses in killed, wounded and prison, since the Verdun battle began, it was authoritatively stated this evening, have been less than the German official communication claims in prisoners.

The Temps' Military Review, which is usually written by General de la Croix, sums up the situation thus:

"The battle being fought is extremely serious.

"Even should the heights of Poivre and the Vauche wood be taken, the enemy would find us perhaps stronger on the Froide-terre-Douaumont line, from which begins the defences, properly speaking of the fortress, covered with trenches and batteries. This is a stage by the Germans; it is a battle against one of our armies in which the garrison at Verdun and its forts do not figure in their combats as a sup-

port. The big guns of the enemy might destroy the fort at Douaumont without destroying anything more than an inert block of cement.

"The snow has not caused any diminution of the attacks, because they cannot be suspended. They must be continued to the end. The troops engaged would be unable to remain idle long in the territory captured while awaiting better weather conditions. A thaw would render their situation worse, and it already must be painful."

The Temps refers to the possibility of attacks continuing for two weeks, and adds:

"Let us continue to have complete confidence in its final issue."

### BATTLE OF VERDUN IS BLOODIEST FIGHT IN ALL HISTORY

Paris, Feb. 27.—The fight for the possession of Verdun goes on with increasing violence, multiplying the dead and wounded to a point where losses have got beyond calculations.

It is impossible to verify how many reinforcements the Germans have brought up, but the military critics believe that of the 300,000 men that began the attack few will be left at the end of the first week's fighting. Verdun, the object of all this sacrifice, is nothing but an "ancient fortress," according to authoritative information, and if the Germans take it they will find it but an empty shell. It is six months since the French, putting into practice the lessons of the war, showing that fortresses are more vulnerable than field works, "unclassified" Verdun and all its provisions, arms and munitions, as well as those in the surrounding forts, were sent to the rear.

Eighty thousand men and several hundred cannon would have been the trophies of the conquest of the place in September, 1914.

Today Verdun also is not a fortress. It has neither cannon nor garrison, and has no provisions except for the current needs of the population. The value of the town itself is scarcely more than that of any one of the villages to the north taken by the Germans in the last six days, since it was never anything more than a military stronghold.

The Verdun wood may go down in history as the world's bloodiest battlefield. On the eighth day of the great German offensive accurate estimates of the casualties are still unobtainable, 30,000 dead and wounded lie on the plain north of Pepper Hill, under the screaming hurricane of shells.

Other thousands lie among the stumps of Caures forest, whose trees have been splintered under the most terrific hail of shells of the war. The slaughter on the plain north of Douaumont is frightful. The first of the surgeons arriving in Paris in charge of the wounded reported that a whole regiment were almost annihilated. Caught under a rain of shells in the advanced trenches, those who survived or escaped the first blasts but slightly wounded, were blotted out as they attempted to fall back.

**HAIL INSURANCE POLICIES MAY BE EXTENDED TO OCTOBER**

An amendment to the Hail Insurance Act will come before this session of the legislature, whereby farmers can have policies extended till October on payment of a small extra premium. At the present time policies expire at noon on September 15. Those who do not want to take advantage of the extension may take the present style of policy.

## Watt & Hay--And what they say

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**BIG AUCTION SALE OF HOLSTEIN-FRIESANS AT RED DEER, ALTA.**

Owing to the dissolution of partnership between Mr. E. Michener, M.P.P., and Mr. Norman Michener, as breeders of Holstein-Friesian Cattle at Red Deer, they will offer for sale, without reserve, at their farm, four miles from the City of Red Deer, on Wednesday, March 15th, at 2 p.m., their entire herd of these famous Dairy Cattle. This herd has been built up for the past six years and is well-known throughout the West as the highest prize-winning herd in Alberta during that period. In the Provincial Twelve-Months Test

last year for all breeds, Michener Bros. came out second in a big field. Rigs will meet the noon trains north and south on the day of sale. Lunch will be provided by the Springvale-Clearview Women's Institute. The sale will be conducted by Arthur Rogers, Auctioneer, and the Clerk will be Mr. E. W. Bjorkland, both well-known Holstein breeders of Red Deer. Send for catalogues, etc.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

One 12-foot Massey-Harris Packer to sell, or will trade for live stock of any kind. Apply to Isaac Gibson, Lacombe. Phone. (M. 1-3p)